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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Detert et al.
Appl. No.: 10/090,525
Filed: March 4, 2002
For: SULPHONATED COMB POLYMERS HAVING A SELECTED LITHIUM/SODIUM
RATIO AND PREPARATIONS, IN PARTICULAR HAIR COSMETIC
PREPARATIONS, BASED ON SUCH SULPHONATED COMB POLYMERS

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Washington, DC 20231

**PETITION FOR A FIVE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) FOR SUBMITTING MISSING PARTS**

Sir:

The Applicant hereby petitions for a **FIVE** month extension of time for submitting the Declaration (listed in the Notice to File Missing Parts) for the above-identified application. The Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) is dated March 28, 2002. Applicant is given two months from the date of said Notice within which to file the missing parts (i.e., May 28, 2002). This Petition thus requests that the due date for the missing parts be extended to October 28, 2002.

The required fee of \$1,960.00 [37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(5)] is enclosed; any additional fee or refund

associated with this Petition may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

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